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FOR NICHOLAS S. LAKAS, EB/CBA/OCA

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SUBJECT: SUGGESTED DEPARTMENT SPECIAL AWARD TO HENK POUTSMA,
RETIRING GENERAL MANAGER, AMCHAM.

REF: A. THE HAGUE 4885; B. LETTER FROM HARARY TO LAKAS, SEP-
TEMBER 25, 1975.

1. AS INDICATED IN BOTH REFERENCES, WE STRONGLY BELIEVE THAT A
TANGIBLE EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE
HAS NOT ONLY BEEN AMPLY EARNED BY POUTSMA BUT WOULD ALSO SERVE
U.S. ECONOMIC AND COMMERCIAL INTERESTS IN THE NETHERLANDS. WE
HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED THE DEPARTMENT'S REPLY.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: A SPECIAL FAREWELL CEREMONY FOR POUTSMA IS
SCHEDULED FOR SECOND WEEK OF NOVEMBER. AMBASSADOR GOULD WILL
ATTEND AND PRESENT THE AWARD. WE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING
ASAP THE DEPARTMENT'S COMMENTS AND INFORMATION ON ACTION TAKEN.
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